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Response to Amendment

The reply filed on Sept. 1, 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): The amendment to the claims is non-compliant since the applicant failed to amend the claims as required by 37 CFR 1.121. Canceled claims 1-4 should be listed as follows "Claims 1-4 (canceled)", and new claim 5 should be listed as follows "Claim 5 (new) The methodsaid peripheral frame element.". See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Brian K. Green whose telephone number is (571) 272-6644. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 7am-3:30pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Lesley Morris can be reached on (571) 272-6651. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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